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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

. In re application of:

Michael E. Fein

Application No.: 08/988,479

Filed: December 10, 1997

For: NON-IMAGING OPTICAL

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**AMENDMENT** 

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 27-31 and 48-50.

Please amend claims 2-9, 12-13, 15-19, 24-26 as follows:

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2. (Twice Amended) The apparatus of claim 55 further comprising a non-imaging optical concentrator, for delivering a beam of light emitted

from said optical fiber having half-angle divergence of 90 degrees, located between said

optical fiber and said first port.